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LOST—A black and white setter dog was lost on Friday night. Finder will please leave same at John Weiler's warerooms, Fort Street. mar26

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Annual Report of the Fisheries Department—A Large Department.

B. C. Fisheries—Salmon Catch—Interesting Report from Mr. Mowat.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, April 10.—The fifth annual report of the Department of Fisheries was laid on the table of the House to-day. In addition to the brief report I telegraphed you, it contains information which is worthy of a fuller and more extended notice. In the first place the total value of the fisheries for the year 1888 was $17,418,510, British Columbia contributing $1,902,195. Compared with the year 1887 this shows a decrease of $367,592, the decrease for British Columbia being $76,691. Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba show an increase. The consumption of fish in British Columbia by Indians is given at $3,257,500. The largest increases are noticed in cods, whitefish, hake and haddock. In mackerel there is a decrease of about half a million dollars and also a very large decrease in sardines. Lobsters show a decrease of $350,000, the decrease being general. The total expenditure for the fisheries service was $377,487. Of this amount $3651 was expended in British Columbia. Receipts from rents, license fees and fines in British Columbia amounted to $6934.

BRITISH COLUMBIA FISHERIES.

The report of Mr. Mowat, Inspector of Fisheries in British Columbia, attributes the decrease in British Columbia to the falling off of salmon fishing in the Fraser river. In regard to this he says: The pack of canned salmon, which is at present the chief industry of the fishing business of this Province, fell short of last year by 202,040 one pound tins; and that of salted salmon by 218 barrels, while the increase in the consumption of fresh salmon was 250,400 pounds. This increase I entertain some doubts about, feeling satisfied that some of the fish dealers must have returned more fresh fish than they actually handled. Owing to a break in the periodical run in the Fraser river during the season of 1886-87, packers were undecided as to what course to pursue. Although past experience taught them that biennial failures had occurred regularly since 1865, it was not sufficient to prevent them making preparations for a large packing. As the run in 1887 proved better than they expected, they thought that perhaps this season would be equally as good.

The proportionate pack by the canneries on the Fraser river and the coast was as follows:

	Cases.
Fraser River, 12 canneries	76,908
Coast, 8 canneries	107,424¼
Total	184,040¼

COMPARISON WITH LAST YEAR.

In comparing this season's operations with last year, it will be noticed that there is a falling off on the Fraser River of 52,290 cases, while the coast pack increased by 32,147½ cases. Notwithstanding the large falling off on the Fraser, the average pack per cannery will be nearly the same as in the seasons of 1876, 1880 and 1884. But, it should at the same time be remembered that, while the average pack was about the same as in previous poor years, the outfit used in the capture of the fish was much increased, and that "cohoes" and "white salmon" were canned, which assisted in making up the average. It must also be borne in mind that the total pack on the Fraser exceeded the best previous corresponding poor year by 34,461 cases.

MODES OF FISHING.

Much correspondence has been going on from time to time in the press regarding the modes of fishing on the Fraser River, and some writers went so far as to assert that gill net fishing on the sandheads, and at the river's mouth, had driven away the fish and forced them to seek new spawning grounds. It was also stated that the "Saw-qui" salmon which inhabits the Fraser and its tributaries, were seeking spawning grounds in the small streams on the coast near by. Upon making strict enquiry and sending reliable parties to investigate the matter, I found these reports to be without foundation.

FISHERY REGULATIONS.

New regulations for salmon and trout fishing have been adopted for this province; but so far as their being carried into active operation is concerned, the matter rests entirely with the Department as to the number of guardians to be employed for their proper enforcement. Careful judgment is required for the forming of proper regulations for this province. If too stringent, they will have the effect of giving our Alaskan neighbors the benefit of marketing their fish at a lower rate; if not sufficiently protective, we will have the same falling off in our rivers that they are experiencing in the Columbia and other streams south of us. The shipment of fresh and frozen salmon to Eastern Canada and the United States, was below that of last season by 125,000 pounds. This is due to the high rates charged by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, coupled with the scarcity of salmon in the Fraser River. The salmon of the Columbia River, although sold at a higher price than ours, are handled at much lower rates, and as the American Government has now added a half cent a pound duty on fresh fish, it will exclude our dealers from their markets and they will have to abandon the trade as they cannot compete with salmon from the Atlantic coast by paying such high freight and express rates.

SEIL.

Mr. Mowat suggests that this fishing would be a good employment for the Scotch crofters, and a better place for engaging in it than the west coast of Queen Charlotte and Vancouver Islands could not be found. But unless some measures are taken to protect our coasts this fishery, like the halibut fishery will be monopolized by American fishermen

HALIBUT.

The only persons in this province who attempted anything in the halibut trade were Captain Lumberg, of Vancouver, and Captain Grant, of this place; the former did his fishing from small boats in the gulf and had to find a market for most of his fish in Seattle, owing to the high rates of freight charged by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Captain Grant made a trip to the Straits in a sloop and succeeded in securing a few thousand pounds, which were salted and afterwards smoked in this place and marketed in Seattle for shipment to the Eastern States.

SARDINES.

The quantities consumed fresh and salted increase every season, but so far no one has thought fit to can them. The objection seems to be the high price of labor and the expensive outfit required for this business.

STURGEON.

The demand for this fish in local markets seems to be increasing; large numbers being shipped to Victoria and Vancouver and to towns on Puget Sound and the Interior. I have had numerous enquiries with a view to opening up a trade in the manufacture of caviar, but as yet no one has made it his regular business to catch them.

MARINE FURS.

This season's catch of hair-seal approximated about the same as last year; they are not taken by white hunters for commercial purposes and only for local consumption by the Indians. The demand is therefore limited. The catch of sea otter increased by 25 skins; this is owing to an increased catch in Behring Sea. The returns show 21 walrus skins and 250 pounds of ivory; this is not a product of our coast, but was brought from the Arctic Ocean by one of our vessels and marketed in the province. The catch of fur seals this season shows a decrease as compared with that of last year of 5,817 skins.

BEHRING SEA.

Decrease in the fur seal catch in Behring Sea is still more noticeable. It was caused principally by the unsettled state of affairs with the American Government, several of the schooners being afraid to enter these waters at the rate of these seizures.

LOBSTERS.

The United States Fish Commission landed on 22nd January 193 parent lobsters at Cape Disappointment, 100 were females containing about 7,500,000 eggs. The same number were planted at Port Townsend. Out of the total shipment it is said that only one lobster died. It is also reported that the 350 lobsters brought to Monterey, California, last season are doing well. As I previously made recommendations and suggestions with regard to the intended shipment of lobsters for this province, there is no need dwelling further on the subject.

WILL FISH ANYWAY.

While in consultation with the Indians on Skeena River, they wanted to know my business there, the fishing laws, where the license money went to, and several other things which I fully explained to them. Before I departed, they informed me they would not take out a license another season, and intended doing all the fishing they choose. I notified the canners not to receive fish from an Indian another season, unless he had a license; so the matter stands. It will rest with the Department whether they will put on a sufficient force to prevent this another season or not. I am of opinion that the only way this illegal fishing can be prevented is by the presence of a sufficient force of guardians or a small armed cruiser to seize all nets, boats and canoes which do not comply with the regulations. ONLOOKER.

PAUNCEFOTE AS A VICTIM.

Is Washington Regarded as a Botany Bay for British Diplomacy?

(Town Topics.)

Although Sir Julian Pauncefote is personally a very estimable and respectable man, it can scarcely be regarded as flattering to the United States that his appointment to the post of British Minister at Washington should be looked upon in all the official and social circles in London as a severe setback and a distinct "come down" in the world. To such an extent is this the case that he is considered at the present moment as one of the most shamefully ill-used men in her British Majesty's service, and instead of receiving congratulations on having obtained the mission, his friends and acquaintances believe it to be their duty to condole with him. The fact is that Sir Julian has been made the victim of a most disgraceful intrigue, and, greatly against his will, has been forced out of one of the most pleasant influential and relatively lucrative berths of the government service. As permanent assistant secretary of state at the foreign office he was the perennial chief of the department, the great man at whose frown even ambassadors trembled, and who thought nothing of scolding Queen Victoria's ministers and envoys abroad as if they were so many schoolboys. The salary attached to the office amounted to $15,000, there was no entertaining required, and not a single treaty was signed, not a negotiation concluded without the permanent assistant secretary figuring at the head of the list of men honored with ribbons and stars. Moreover, Sir Julian Pauncefote is a martyr to gout, exceedingly fond of his club, and being a pompous man, simply reveled in the worship of all the smaller official fry. It was with extreme reluctance that he surrendered his post at the foreign office and all the privileges thereto attached; and indeed he was only induced to give way by means of a promise that he should only be kept a few months at Washington, after which he is to be promoted to a first-class embassy, probably either at Madrid or Rome. He will then be succeeded at Washington by Sir John Macdonald, who will be created a peer, and resign the Canadian premiership to Sir Charles Tupper.

Sir Julian's stay at Washington is likely to be very brief—probably that is the real reason why neither Lady Pauncefote nor her pretty daughters are to accompany him when he sails for New York next month—and the short duration of his mission to the United States may be gauged by the fact that Sir Charles Tupper has already given up his charming house in London and proceeded to Canada, where he is making his final arrangements for resigning the high commissionership of the Dominion to England in favor of the premiership. Sir John Macdonald will within a few weeks proceed to England and take his seat in the House of Lords before Parliament closes its summer session and he will then return in the autumn to Washington as British Minister Plenipotentiary.

The intrigue to which reference is made above and which has led to Sir Julian Pauncefote's being literally kicked into the Washington mission, has been in progress for some months past, the object being to put Sir Philip Currie in Pauncefote's place. Sir Philip Currie is a man about town, and one of the lights of society—which can hardly be said of Sir Julian Pauncefote. Sir Philip Currie's career has consisted chiefly in filling the post of private secretary to many successive ministers of foreign affairs, and in rendering himself not only agreeable but accomplished to the wives of his chiefs. One of his most influential patronesses, and indeed the one who has been mainly instrumental in bringing about his present promotion, is the Marchioness of Salisbury, whose excessive vanity he flatters to her heart's content. Although exceedingly arrogant and short tempered with those who have the misfortune to be placed under his orders, he is popular in society, owing mainly to the fact of his having a reputation for being "so very wicked, you know." With all London's femine influence arrayed in his favor, it is not surprising that poor, ponderous, pompous Pauncefote has been forced out to recommence his travels. I should much like to be a witness of Sir Julian's dignified demeanor on the first occasion when he meets in the refreshment room of the capitol some statesmen like Senator Riddleberger, for instance, at a moment when the latter is bent on treating his friends all 'round to cocktails.

Arrived!

Bass XXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

B. C. Monthly and Mining Review.

Owing to a contemplated improvement generally and increased pages, we postpone the April issue until the last of the month. J. M. LEIGH & Co. 31

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Labouchere's Cable Letter—A Fatal Accident in New York.

A Son's Terrible Crime—Fell 175 Feet—Honors to Parnell.

(By Postal Telegraph.)

New York, April 18.—Henry Labouchere's London cable to the New York *World* says: Queen Victoria comes up to Buckingham palace on Tuesday week and will hold the postponed drawing-room on Wednesday, the first of May, returning the next day to Windsor as Princess Beatrice expects her accouchement next month. The Queen desires to get the drawingroom over as soon as possible, and the two later ones will probably by held by the Princess of Wales.

From July to November the Paris boulevards are to be lighted by electricity.

Lord Londonderry is desperately anxious to resign the vice-royalty of Ireland, but at present Lord Salisbury cannot get anyone to take his place. It is all vastly well for Mr. Balfour to pay rapid compliments to the Marquis of Londonderry, for consenting to retain his office beyond the term of two years which he originally undertook, but nobody knows better than himself that Lord Londonderry has received valuable considerations as a reward for his complaisancy in the shape of the late Duke of Rutland's garter, on which he had no claim whatever, but which was flung at him by Lord Salisbury simply as a bribe to keep him at Dublin for another year.

The marriage between Prince Christian of Denmark, eldest son of the Crown Prince and his cousin Princess Maud, of Wales, would be very acceptable at Marlbourough House. Prince Christian, who was born in September '70, is ten months younger than the Princess, and will be very rich, as he is to inherit the bulk of the fortunes which came to his mother, from her grandfather Prince Frederick of the Netherlands, and she also had a dowry from her father the late King of Sweden.

Lord Dufferin is building a composite yacht at Nivenhoe.

Prosper Merimees' letters "*a une incorma*" excited considerable interest owing to the frank expression of Merimee's opinions respecting men and women of the French Imperial Court. A book has just been published called "An Author's Love," which is by the way a series of answers to those letters. The *jeu desprit* is very cleverly carried out. The book is not, as the London *World* states, by an American lady.

The speech of Sir Charles Russell in presenting Mr. Parnell's case to the Royal Commission is to be published as a book in an edition de luxe and also in pamphlet form.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

New York, April 18.—Michael Early, a lineman engaged in removing wires from poles in Sixth avenue, which were being cut down by the city, was killed, and Hugh Reilly was severely injured. The accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock. Work began to-day at 7 o'clock. One gang of men continued cutting wires from Twenty-fifth street up, and another began at 23rd street and took down poles from which the wires had been stripped. About nine o'clock a pole in front of 387, Sixth avenue, was reached. Two men began to chop in and others guided it away from the window stores. On account of the elevated road it was necessary to support the poles with guy ropes in order to allow them to fall sideways into the street. Early and Reilly were detailed to fasten guy ropes on the upper part of a building opposite the pole and managed to lower ropes from the third story. These were attached to the top of the pole and drawn tight by two men. Early was astride of the rope and Reilly was standing outside of the window holding the rope. At 9:20 the axemen finished and a signal was given to lower the pole. It fell with a crash towards 23rd street, and as it fell cries of horror arose from the crowd. The two men had fallen to the ground, Early lying flat on his face, and Reilly on top of him. The crowd rushed to the spot and willing hands lifted Reilly, who was partly conscious, and took him to a neighboring saloon. Early presented a horrible appearance; his head was crushed and blood gushed from five wounds. An ambulance was summoned from the hospital, and a surgeon who accompanied it, said Reilly would probably die in a few minutes. He could find no external injuries, but thought he was fatally injured internally. Early was killed instantly. The body was removed to No. 30 police station, where it will be claimed by deceased's friends, who reside in Brooklyn. Men in charge of the work say the accident was due to the men not keeping clear of the guy ropes. The wires dragged them down when the pole fell.

THEIR REWARD.

Washington, D. C, April 18.—The President to-day made the following appointments: Edward S. Lacey, of Michigan, to be Comptroller of Currency; Timothy Guy Phelps to be Collector of San Francisco.

SUICIDE.

San Francisco, April 18.—Sailed—Steamer San Pedro, Tacoma.

Mrs. Mary Darling, a dressmaker, 25 years of age, and wife of a coachman, shot and killed herself with a revolver last night. Business losses and despondency was the cause.

POSTMASTERS APPOINTED.

Washington, April 18—W. H. Peters was to-day appointed postmaster at Edison, Skagit county, W. T., in place of J. Dicer, who resigned. A. Howard, postmaster at Goldendale, Klickita county, W. T., in place of J. W. Serover, resigned.

ICEBERG AT SEA.

New York, April 18—The steamer Dacia, from Newcastle, reports having passed an iceberg fully 150 feet high and over 600 feet long on April 2nd. A number of shipping men believe that the berg disabled the steamer Denmark.

OUR SYMPATHY.

Los Angeles, April 18—A fire in the press room of the *Tribune*, late last night, caused twenty thousand dollars damages.

THE ILL-FATED DENMARK.

New York, April 18—The agent of the Thingvalla line reports again to-day that no news whatever has been received of the fate of the passengers and crew of the Denmark. The Alsatia of the Anchor line arrived from Gibraltar to-day, but her officers had seen no trace of the lost vessel or her passengers.

THE GRAND TRUNK.

London, April 17—Sir Henry Tyler, the President of the Company, at a large Grand Trunk Railway Company meeting the other day, said the bad harvest of 1887 and low rates of freight had caused decreased receipts. The causes were temporary, and had already to a great extent been remedied. He expected that a great improvement would take place this year. Freight prospects are specially increasing, and a much steadier rate is probable. Regarding the report of a serious rivalry to the Grand Trunk Railway from the projected Hamilton and Buffalo Railway, he could not ascertain that there was any substantial backing for the scheme. He read an extract from the Hamilton *Times*, ridiculing the project. After some discussion the report and accounts were adopted, and a resolution passed appealing to the Dominion Government regarding the injustice of Government subsides being granted to lines competing with existing railways.

FELL 175 FEET.

Niagara Falls, April 18.—Jas. Madda, an Italian workman employed on the new suspension bridge, lost his footing this morning and fell to the water, 175 below. He rose to the surface and swam towards the boats that put out from the shore for his rescue, but sank exhausted before he could be reached and was drowned.

SNOW STORMS IN EUROPE.

Berlin, April 18—There have been furious snow storms in Silesia, which added to the distress caused by the recent floods and may cause a renewal of the latter.

RATE OF DISCOUNT.

London, April 18—The Bank of England rate of discount to-day is 2½ per cent.

A PRIEST COMMITTED.

Dublin, April 18—Father McFadden, arrested on the charge of being implicated in the murder of Police Inspector Martin at Gweedore and committed for trial, was admitted to bail, the counsel for the crown consenting.

HONORS TO PARNELL.

Edinburgh, April 18.—The town council of Edinburgh has decided by a vote of 8 to 5, to confer the freedom of the city on Parnell.

WIFE MURDERER HUNG.

Hartford, Conn., April 18.—John H. Swift was hanged in the jail-yard here this morning, for murdering his wife on July 6th, 1887. He died cooly and unconcerned.

CHEAPER COPPER.

London, April 18.—The Thursis mine offered first-class copper ingots in the Glasgow market to-day at £66.

THE SUGAR GAMBLE.

London, April 18.—The Clyde sugar market is again excited over crushed sugar. At twenty minutes after the market opened to-day everything was sold. Prices went a shilling higher.

The only excitement perceptible this week is in the sugar trade. It is felt from the Clyde to the Danube. Complaints of the rise in prices are especially strong from Germany and Austria. German sugars, 88 degrees test, are quoted at 21s. 7½d. An estimate of the visible supply of sugar makes it 3,500,000 tons less than it was in the corresponding week of last year.

MURDERED HIS FATHER.

Springfield, Mass, April 18—Joseph King, a wealthy citizen, 78 years of age, residing at Westfarms, a farming hamlet near Westfield Centre, was shot and killed to-day by Edgar King, his eldest son, and the house set on fire and destroyed. Some time later a shot was heard and the murderer was found lying in a pool of blood, having shot himself. The cause of the crime is traceable to an unbalanced mind. The murderer and suicide had planned the deed four days ago. He gave Chas. A. Clark a sealed manuscript which he requested him to keep and not open it until some time in the future. The papers were read and revealed the determination of Edgar to kill his father, besides ending his own life. The story of the shooting is brief. At 2 o'clock a. m. Mr. King was lying asleep in bed, and his wife, who had not undressed, was on a sofa in the same room. Later she was awakened by a shot. The son had stolen in through the sitting room and aimed three shots at the father, one of which took effect over the right eye, one in the neck and the other in the breast. He then vainly endeavored to enter the room occupied by his two aunts, Mrs. Tuttle and Mrs. Moore. Failing in this, he set fire to the house. The women's screams brought the neighbors to the scene. A farm hand, Horace Clapp, removed the dead body from the burning house, and search was made for the murderer, but it was not till some three hours later that a revolver shot attracted attention to the spot where he was found in a dying condition. He died in an hour. The two bodies were to-day viewed by a medical examiner from Westfield, and that of the son was buried this afternoon in the manner requested in his manuscript. A pine box was used, and four neighbors were present. No members of the family attended.

PRISONERS REVOLT.

Montreal, April 18.—The prisoners in jail at St. Joseph de la Beauce, between Montreal and Quebec, revolted last night and shot down Jailer Gadlout and Police Sergeant Harper. Five convicts escaped. The jailer's young daughter gave the alarm to the villagers, who helped to secure the riotous prisoners. Two of the escaped prisoners were captured. The police of Montreal are tracking the others.

HEROIC DEATH.

Helena, Mont., April 18—At Great Falls yesterday a team ran away with A. G. Benson, one of the leading merchants of the town, and plunged into the river. Benson made vigorous efforts to rescue them, but was carried under and drowned.

THE MISSING DENMARK.

Queenstown, April 18.—The National Line steamship Queen, from New York April 4th, arrived to-day. She passed over the same course as the City of Chester, which sighted the abandoned Denmark. She reports she neither heard nor saw anything of the Denmark, nor of her missing passengers and crew.

DENIED.

Boston, April 18—Charles Francis Adams, President of the Union Pacific Railway, says the report that his company will reduce the guarantee on the O. R. & N. Co.'s stock, is purely imaginative.

INTERNATIONAL YACHT RACE.

Boston, April 18—General Paine, owner of the yacht Volunteer, which won the international yacht race last year, has given an elaborate cup to the Eastern Yacht Club of this city. The secretary of the club has issued the following circular: "A challenge cup for international matches between yachts not exceeding 70 feet water line has been offered to Eastern Yacht Club, and has been accepted." The club now announces that a match of one or more races will be sailed for the said international cup after the races for the American cup.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND STOLEN.

Minneapolis, April 18.—Louis Helmen, night clerk of the Northern Pacific Express at Brainerd, Minn., this morning received two packages of money consigned to the First National Bank. One contained $15,000 in silver and the other $15,000 in gold. He says he first put them in the safe and locked it. Later, when he went to check them the gold package was missing and cannot be found.

ELECTRICITY.

New York, April 18—Two patents for inventions of Edu Weston, made ten years ago, covering armature of electric lighting dynamos and motors now in use, have just been issued to the Westinghouse Electric Co., and are said to constitute a new element of great strength to the Sawyer-Mann Westinghouse combination. The Edison company has taken a license under these two patents.

TO THE TIMES ONLY.

Opening of Lake Navigation—Tries Three Times to Kill Himself.

A Summer Carnival for Winnipeg—Latest from Ottawa.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Winnipeg, April 18—The Athabasca, of the Canadian Pacific Steamship line, will leave Owen Sound for Port Arthur on Saturday, the 20th inst. The Alberta will follow on the 24th inst. This is one month earlier than last year.

DELIRIUM TREMENS.

Quebec, April 18—A young man named Villiard, aged 25, only just returned from British Columbia, flung himself out of a four story window in Jacques Cartier Hotel during a fit of delirium tremens, and received injuries from which he died.

THROW UP CONTRACTS.

Toronto, April 18—All the civic contractors have determined to throw up their contracts as they claim they cannot follow the strict letter of the specifications as demanded. Six hundred men and two hundred teams will be idle.

TAKING OUT LICENSES.

Halifax, April 18—Ten American fishing vessels have already taken licenses under *modus vivendi*. The indications are that a very large number will follow their example.

AN EXPENSIVE KISS.

Montreal, April 18—A baker named Paquotte stole a kiss from Miss Legarde while delivering bread to-day and was condemned to pay $20 damages and $30 costs.

CANNOT KILL HIMSELF.

Joseph Brisbois, of No. 4 Eustache street, jumped into a well two years ago and was rescued. Twelve months later he cut his throat with a razor, but recovered. To-day he hung himself in a barn, but is not dead yet.

A TIMBER MERCHANT ABSCONDS.

Bat Portage, April 18.—It is reported that A. T. Dalmage, Crown timber inspector, has absconded to the States, being short in a large sum in his accounts with the Ontario government.

INDIAN CHIEF DEAD.

Duck Lake, N. W. T., April 18.—Chief Beardy died here yesterday. He took a prominent part in the rebellion.

SUMMER CARNIVAL.

Winnipeg, April 18.—At a large meeting of citizens to-night it was definitely decided to hold a mammoth summer carnival in August next.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

To-Day's Business—Anti-Jesuit Agitation Increasing not Subsiding.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Ottawa, April 18—After preliminary business this afternoon the house went into committee of supply on the resolution of Costigan's regarding the reduction of cullers and annuities payable in consequence. The resolution was passed and the bill founded thereon and read a first time.

Resolutions were passed yesterday afternoon in the county of Carleton and the city condemning the members who voted for the Jesuits estate bill. The agitation is increasing instead of subsiding.

A son of Alex. McKenzie leaves by special car to-night by the C. P. R. to view the new bridge at Lachine over the St. Lawrence.

Prorogation is expected about Thursday or Friday next. The house adjourns at midnight to-night to meet on Saturday.

CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

Items of News Circulated by Means of the Telegraph.

Hopes are now entertained that the steamship Queen, which is now overdue, may have rescued the passengers of the Denmark.

The Queen will go to Balmoral in May.

THE ILL-FATED DENMARK.

Capt. Smith Speculates on the Fate of Her Passengers.

Philadelphia, April 17—Capt. Smith, of the British steamer La Fandre, which arrived this afternoon from Antwerp, was the commander of the ill-fated Denmark before her change of ownership, and was much concerned when he learned of the disaster which is said to have overtaken the vessel. Capt. Smith, when questioned, said the Denmark was a remarkably strong vessel. She was built with water-tight compartments, and had water tanks from bridge aft, and was ballasted with iron about her upper works. "In fact," he added, "she was one of the strongest-built iron vessels I was ever in. I commanded her when she was sold, just previous to her last trip, and was chief officer prior to that and would not wish to sail a better ship." Captain Smith said further that he crossed very close to where the ship was sighted. "If the boat was picked up," he continued, "by a sailing vessel, her course would be west and for the Irish channel. Of course no sailing vessel would continue her voyage with such a crowd on board unless the port she was bound to was most easily reached. It would take longer for a vessel to make the Azores than to reach the Irish coast from where the Denmark was seen, because the wind would be mostly ahead. The distance to the Fastnet light would be about 1100 miles, and with winds we have had a sailing vessel ought to make it in about 8 days."

Lord Dunraven is having built by Messrs. Fay, of Southampton, Eng., from designs made by Mr. G. L. Watson, a 60-ton yacht, which is to sail either as a keel boat or as a centreboard. She will be ready for the opening matches on the Thames and elsewhere as a keel boat, but after racing with the Tarara in it should be found that she is not as fast as the latter, her centreboard will be adjusted, and it will be then shown whether under these conditions her speed is increased. The Glasgow *Herald* asserts that on the issue of the racing between the two cutters named hangs the decision as to whether the future pleasure navy of Great Britain will be keel boat or centreboards. If Lord Dunraven's new yacht should turn out to be a success, there is a probability that she will be the British champion in the next international race for the America's cup.

Lord Wolseley has been writing an essay upon the English swords, that proved in recent battles in the Soudan to be no better than sticks, bending and breaking under the most ordinary strain. He says that the present style of sword is too light by two or three ounces, and too thin in the "feller," but he thinks that one main trouble has been that the weapons were weakened by the tests to which they had to be submitted before acceptance, and he sagely suggests that it might be better to accept the swords without testing them.

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RACE PREJUDICE.

Ohio has always been anti-slavery, and it would be supposed on the strength of such a predilection that the state would extend the right hand of fellowship to the negro in social matters. Ohio, however, like Kentucky has its color line. Its politics on the negro question is based on the principles which actuate the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals. The horse is entitled to be protected, but there are certain social contiguities which he must forego. He is a horse for all that, he must not be beaten and must live in a stable. The life and property of the negro must be protected, but he must forego social consorting with his protectors. He is but a "nigger" with all of his political privileges, and must forever remain so until he disappears by race amalgamation if such a consummation shall ever come to pass.

A certain colored gentleman in the Buckeye State, jealous of the rights guaranteed him by the 15th Amendment, undertook to give his children a common school education by having them occupy, jointly with white children, the same school-room. The experiment proved a disastrous failure, not alone socially and educationally, but legally. His children were maltreated, and he took the case into the courts, asking $5000, damages, and obtained one cent. Thus, in a State which has shed its blood for the negro is there race prejudice, and what may be said of Ohio is applicable also to her sister states, every one of them. The "niggg-lovers of the north," as they are contemptuously designated by the one-time slave-holders, are a very nice sort of people, unexceptionable morally, but like the prohibitionists supremely impracticable. They will insist on a transcendant condition of things. Instead of trying to govern the world as they find it, gradually inculcating the perfections which shall eventuate in the millenium, they start off by demanding that social distinctions be obliterated, a kind of radicalism which the world never yet tolerated, nor is it likely ever will. Race antagonisms undoubtedly are the effect of innate prejudice. It may be a defect, but being innate it has the merit of honesty, and it is not so clear, but that such defects, if not to be encouraged, should be left to work out their final destiny as instinct directs. The Caucasian race, and particularly that portion of it which has imbibed the genius of Anglo-Saxon civilization, has little in common, intellectually and morally, with the other branches of the human family, and notably with those branches which are dark skinned. It goes even further than this, there is no blood affinity. The negro does not cross well with the Saxon. The product of such mixture, invariably is ill-balanced. If he has mental capacity he is physically weak and dies early, or if he has physical capacity he seems to lack character and as a rule early falls the victim to some vice. When we consider the fruits of this species of amalgamation race prejudice rises to the dignity of a blessing. It is the unwritten immutable law which interposes against race deterioration. But the levellers in the States, or the impracticables as they may be called, fail to see the matter in this light. In their opinion the grand panacea for the adjusting of race differences is a little mutual toleration, and in time civilization will present a grand aggregation of moral and mental homogenity. It is possible that the impracticables will succeed in bringing this condition of things about, but from the way things are shaping themselves is vastly remote. Long years of incessant toil will be required to eliminate from men the innate sense of race inequality. The law of race inequality, however, will have to be recognized and legislation shaped accordingly. Philanthropy is good, but philanthropy is better when it is tempered with prudence, and certain it is that the political paradox in the States, fraught with philanthropy as it is, must be modified to insure concord. The Americans within the next five years must either swallow their race prejudices or perform some very extraordinary feats of legislation.

MRS. BONANZA MACKEY.

Mrs. Mackey has got there at last. Royalty has recognized parvenedom. The little boarding-house mistress of Virginia City has had the Prince of Wales for a guest. If ambition has limits, and Mrs. Mackey's in particular, she ought now to rest on her social laurels. Others have ascended higher than she from as humble beginnings, but usually the caprice of somebody gave them the start. Mrs. Mackey has worked herself up into social prominence by the steady gradations of an unwearied policy, and the unstinted use of the "almighty dollar." She is the female social Alexander of the period, and if like that Macedonian thunderbolt, her ambition is not yet appeased, she should purchase Ireland out and out from the English and establish a Mackey dynasty. She could entertain cheaper as a crowned head than as a private citizen. The divinity which doth hedge royalty round about relieves it of spending $5,000 for an opera, as the accessory to the after-dinner cigar. But the woman is not to be blamed for entertaining the Prince of Wales royally. He is certainly a most amiable man. The Prince Hal in him, more than all else of his other good qualities, brings him in sympathy with the people and makes him deserving of Lucullan feasts. But while nobody objects to the homage paid the Prince there is a strong undercurrent of opinion that Mrs. Mackey might spend her money to better advantage, in a way which would commend her to posterity. This is Mrs. Mackey's affair, however, her own particular funeral. If she chooses now that she is seated on the high horse of prosperity to ride him to sheol, as the saying goes, the world cannot demur, but if by some turn of fortune's wheel she should suddenly find herself as poor as when she fried John Mackey's beans and potatoes on the Comstock lode none would be so poor as to do her reverence, and not a few people would exclaim that it was a judgment.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The 1,000 employees of the Westinghouse Air Brake works at Pittsburg, Pa., will hereafter work but eight hours a day.

Referring to a movement now being started by ladies in Hamilton for the benefit and protection of young girls, the Trades and Labor Council have resolved that the low rate of wages paid to girls is the principal cause of their profligacy.

John Bright has left a big sum of money for distribution among his relatives. The total is variously estimated at a quarter to three-quarters of a million sterling. And it may be noted incidentally that he made it as a free trader in a free trade country.

One of the most objectionable clauses in the new Postal Act is that which makes compulsory the registration of letters containing valuables, and enables postmasters, when suspecting that enclosures contain valuables, to register them, and to charge the fee to the recipient. This is espionage of the most detestable kind. Besides, who is to decide what is a "valuable?" An old photograph that John Smith would fire into the street may be regarded as an inestimable treasure by John Brown.

From the latest statistics of the Colonial Office for 1889, it appears that the British Empire, India included, embraces no less than 9,289,000 square miles, with a population of 328,000,000 souls. Other statistics which help one to realize the wealth of the British Colonial Empire are those relating to railways. There have been built in the colonies during the last half-century 45,000 miles of railways at a cost of about £400,000,000. Indeed, the growth of the Colonial Empire is so continuous and so rapid, that statistics of a few months old are sure to be much below the mark.

John Bright could not be buried in Westminster Abbey because he had not been baptized according to the ritual of the Established Church of England. But a monument is to be erected to the memory of Matthew Arnold, who more than any man, perhaps, sapped by his writings the beliefs on which the Church of England is founded. As the son of a distinguished clergyman of the English Establishment, he was, of course, baptized according to the rubric of that Church. Thus the custodians are saved the reproach of refusing admission to one of the most distinguished and most exquisite of modern poets. The larger part of the $85,000 collected will be given to his wife, but Poet's Corner will contain a memorial of the gifted author of the "New Poems."

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

BEET SUGAR MANUFACTORIES.

San Francisco, April 16—Claus Spreckels & Sons incorporated a beet sugar company to day with a capital of $5,000,000. The company proposes to erect a large number of factories throughout the Pacific Slope for the manufacture of beet sugar. The new company will be known as the Occidental Beet Sugar Company, and will commence operations within one month.

RUSH FOR CONSULSHIPS.

Washington, April 17—President Harrison informed a prominent applicant for a consulship to-day that he would not be able to consider any applications for consulships for three or four weeks yet. Secretary Blaine estimates that there are upwards of 3,500 applications on file in his department for 210 consulships.

THE RUSH TO OKLAHOMA.

Washington, April 17.—Secretary Noble says the talk of alarmists about the trouble in Oklahoma is nonsense. There is no fear felt by the government that there will be unusual lawlessness prevalent in the territory after it is thrown open to settlers, but with a view to guarding against any contingencies of this sort, courts have been organized, deputy marshals have been agreed upon, and the army is ready to help maintain the peace. The secretary says: "When 1,900,000 acres of land are suddenly thrown open to settlement there is usually apt to be considerable hubbub and confusion, but the talk of armed resistance and murders in prospective for new settlers is the veriest nonsense. So far as the interior department is concerned, land offices have been established in the new territory for settlers, and everything will be conducted on business principles and no partiality will be shown. Advices from Oklahoma state that a large contingent is preparing to make a descent upon the land on the 22nd inst., but the military authorities will see to it that no trespassing occurs prior to the time set by the president's proclamation throwing the land open to settlers. Every precaution possible has been taken therefore, to guard against lawlessness of any sort.

OCEAN POSTOFFICES.

Washington, April 17—Mr. Sachse Secretary of the Imperial German postoffice, in a letter to the Postmaster-General, dated Berlin, March 6th, proposes the establishment jointly by the United States and Germany of sea postoffices on vessels plying between the United States and German ports which carry mails. Attention is directed to the fact that much delay is occasioned in the prompt delivery of mails, owing to the fact that they have to be assorted and distributed after being landed at the port of destination of the steamer. The suggestion is that postal clerks similar to railway mail clerks be employed jointly by the two governments for the distribution of the mail matter while crossing the ocean, so that when the mail arrives at the port of destination it will have been distributed for the large distributing offices either in the United States or Germany. The cost of this service, Mr. Sachse computes, will be about $45,000 per annum, or $22,500 per annum to each country. The matter is now in the hands of the Postmaster-General, who is giving it consideration.

ALL FROM NOVEL READING.

Butler, Pa., April 15.—Early this morning J. E. Fields was shot by his wife and died two hours later. Mrs. Fields was reading a book in which she was deeply interested, and disregarded requests from her husband to retire. About midnight Mr. Fields became angry. A war of words ensued. Later he arose from bed and began abusing his wife by striking her in the face. In self-defence she seized a revolver, and warned him to keep away. He advanced, and was about to strike, when she fired, the ball passing through his lungs. Fields made a deposition exonerating his wife from all blame. The coroner's jury found that the act was justifiable under the circumstances. The parties are highly connected.

OUR MAILS BY NEW YORK.

London, April 17—The British Postoffice to-night issued an official notice that the contract between the Allan's line and the Dominion Government having suddenly terminated, all Canadian mails for the present will be sent exclusively via New York.

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PEDIGREE OF BEN II.

SIRE: Boy 2, 12th chestnut, foaled 1852; bred by Mr. B. Ashwell of Falkenham.

DAM: Nellie Custom Soap, 1st. Dam, Pasford's Doughty, 720, by Law's Farmer, 601.

DAM: Rose, chestnut, foaled 1872; bred by Mr. Aspelin; owned by Mr. R. Cross, Birs, Mr. H. Walker's Hero, 1795. Dam by Cross' Captain, 442, son of Cross' Boxer. G. dam by Cross' Boxer, 441.

BEN II, 1095, Foaled 12th April, 1886; bred by Mr. H. Cross Jr., of Fleet Hall; color, dark chestnut; height 17 hands 1½ in.

Terms $15, for the season. $25, for insurance.

HENRY SIMPSON,
mar6-3m South Saanich.

NOTICE.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATION of the Medical Council of British Columbia will take place in the City of Victoria commencing on the 7th day of May next. Full information can be obtained from the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
April 2, 1889. a2-1m

NOTICE.

THE FOLLOWING HARDWARE MERchants of Victoria have arranged to close their stores at 7 p. m. on Saturday, commencing Saturday the 6th inst.

R. G. PRIOR & CO.
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R. P. COOKE, President.

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DOGS AT LARGE.

THE PUBLIC ARE REQUESTED to take notice that all dogs found at large within the city limits after this date without the Corporation Tag for the current year will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the pound by-law.

Dog Tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall. By order

CHAS. KENT,
Victoria, March 20, 1889. Collector
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Estate of Heinrich Bohrer, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN

JOSEPH ROSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES CLYNOVORT,
Dated, Victoria, February 19th, 1889. m16.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

"No person shall suffer his Horse, Ass, Mule, Cow, Cattle, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Goose or Dog (except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the city." By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, March 22nd, 1889. C. M. C.

TIES. TIES. TIES.

Over a Hundred Dozen Ties received in the last few days.

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ALDERMANIC BOARD.

Communications—Reports—Election of Assessors, etc.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last evening. Present—His Worship Mayor Grant, Ald. Styles, Wilson, Harrison, Goodacre, Kelly, McKillican, Harris, Vigelius and Coughlan.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From D. F. Green, stating that he was discharged from the Corporation employ, both from the streets and fire department, and wishing to know the reasons therefor. The communication was referred to the Fire Wardens and Street Committee.

J. D. Pemberton, acknowledging the receipt of a communication from the Board regarding the appointment of Commissioner. Received and filed.

From C. E. Benoit calling attention to a very offensive smell on the east side of Menzies street between Niagara and Simcoe streets, James Bay. Referred to Sanitary Committee.

From W. Dalby and sixteen other property owners on Harrison street requesting the Board to make the road passable. Referred to Street Committee.

CITY ASSESSORS.

Ald. Coughlan moved, seconded by Ald. McKillican, That applications for the position of Assistant Assessors be opened. Carried.

The following applications were read: E. Dickenson, W. C. Robinson, George Simon, T. G. Raynor, John McDowell, W. Dalby, J. H. Nicholson, Joseph Dwyer, C. W. Wallace, W. W. Northcote, C. McK Smith, W. H. Rutledge, F. Mallinson, Alex. Clyde, J. H. Boeuston and Hugh Findlay.

Ald. Vigelius said he considered the salary should be fixed before the gentlemen commenced their duties.

The result of the election was: Northcote 8 votes, Dalby 9, Dickinson 6, McK. Smith 3, Simon 1 vote. His Worship declared Messrs. Dalby, Northcote and Dickinson duly elected.

Ald. Harris moved, seconded by Ald. Coughlan, that the permanent assessor be notified of the election of Messrs. Dalby, Northcote and Dickinson. That the amount of salary be fixed by the assessment committee and that the assessor and assessment committee be empowered to map out the work for the assistant assessors. Carried.

STREET SPRINKLING.

The following tenders were read for sprinkling the streets: John Haggarty, $126 per month; Geo. Gawley, $125 per month; Patrick Forrest, $104 per month. Ald. Vigelius moved that the contract be awarded to the lowest tenderer. Seconded by Ald. Coughlan and carried.

TENDERS.

The tenders for constructing a culvert and grading Third street were read and referred to the Street Committee with power to award the contract to the lowest responsible tenderers.

JOHNSON STREET SEWER.

Ald. Harris moved that the opening of tenders for the Johnson street sewer be deferred for one week. Seconded by Ald. Goodacre.

Ald. Harrison said he understood the Mayor would read a communication from Mr. Pickering.

His Worship said he received a communication from Mr. Pickering regarding the drainage of the city. Mr. Pickering took a great deal of interest in the proper drainage of Victoria and sent several communications. The letter referred to by Ald Harrison was a private communication.

Ald. Harrison asked whether Mr. Pickering offered to construct sewers at the estimated prices laid down in his plans and specifications.

His Worship answered that Mr. Pickering offered to furnish bonds to carry out the work for the amount stated in the estimates.

Ald. Kelly—Did I not understand that an injunction might be issued if the work is not carried out at once?

His Worship—That is probable.

Ald. Kelly—I say, then, that the work should go on.

Ald. Harrison—That settles it. The work must go on.

Ald. Vigelius said he would like to know why the work should be delayed. A large number of good men are in need of work and the Supreme Court might be again brought into the question.

Ald. Harris said the Sewerage Committee wished to examine into many things which might necessitate the calling for fresh tenders.

The motion to defer the opening of the tenders was carried.

His Worship remarked that the Board should open tenders and award tenders at the time specified in the advertisements.

Ald. Harris said the necessary assistance was not furnished by the Corporation to have the work done in a proper way.

LOAN BY-LAW.

The loan by-law was submitted to the Committee of the Whole.

The committee reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ald. Harrison moved that the city barristers be instructed to draw up a loan by-law.—Carried.

Ald. McKillican's amendment to the fence by-law was declared out of order.

REPORTS.

The Street Committee reported on several needed improvements.

His Worship informed the Board that a telegram was sent to E. G. Prior, M. P., at Ottawa, regarding the building of a wharf at Ross Bay. An answer was received this afternoon stating that the Corporation would not be interfered with in building the bridge. The telegram stated that plans and specifications of the work should be forwarded to Ottawa at once.

The Sanitary Committee was empowered to prepare plans and specifications and forward the same to the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Ottawa.

The Board then adjourned to meet again this evening, when the plans will be opened for the improvement of Beacon Hill Park.

Gabel's Shirts.

Fine shirts, clothing and underwear made to order. Gentlemen wishing to duplicate orders and make selections of the latest fashions and designs, can do so by calling or sending postal card to 61 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C., p. o. box 784. D. J. Levy, sole agent for British Columbia.

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Important Cotton Deal.

The sale of the Magog print works to the Hochelaga Cotton Company for $350,000, consummated last week, is considered one of the most important deals that have occurred in the cotton trade for a long time, and promises beneficial results to the mills generally, as it will require the product of about 1,200 looms to keep the printing company supplied with cloth. A sharp advance in Hochelaga shares is due to the acquisition.

Paper Making.

Winnipeg *Commercial* says: In Montreal, says the *Mississippi Valley Lumberman*, paper is now being made from saw dust. The process is a new one, but is consuming all the saw dust from one mill and is proving a success. The paper made wholly from saw dust is said to form admirable sheeting and is fit for building after leaving the mill, being tarred and dried. In the production of the better quality of paper one-quarter of waste paper is used, the remainder being saw dust. It is estimated that about 12,000 tons of saw dust are converted into paper annually.

Trifling Inventions.

The inventor of the puzzle called "Figs in Clover" is amassing a large fortune, and this reminds a contemporary that it is the apparently insignificant inventions which pay. The return ball, a wooden ball with a rubber string attached, made a million dollars for the inventor. The same fortune was made by the inventor of copper tips for children's shoes, and by the inventor of the roller skate. The needle-threader yields its inventor $10,000 a year. And we may remark parenthetically that the man who invented the sliding cover for perforated tin pepper boxes, so useful to campers and loggers, sold his patent-right for $10,000.

A Grain Bin Problem.

St. Paul grain men have been vexing their souls over a problem touching a grain bin and contents, the solution of which has dawned upon not a few of them. It is this: Given a bin; dump into it, separately, five distinct quantities of wheat, for instance: open the spout at the bottom and the query is: "Which layer of wheat comes first?" The uninitiated say at once, with few exceptions: "The first layer at the bottom of course!" W. A. Van Slyke was determined to get at the facts, and watched the bin with his eagle eye very closely the other day, after having caused a layer of barley to be placed on top of several layers of different kinds of wheat. The spout was opened and the barley came rushing out first.—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

A Hint to Ranchmen.

Some rather startling computations have been made on the subject of hog-breeding. It has been found that, if permitted, hogs will live from fifteen to twenty years of age, that they commence breeding when they are from nine to twelve months old, and that from one pair only in ten years, allowing only six to a litter, male and female, upward of 6,434,838 pigs would be obtained; that is to say that, if, instead of three acres and a cow, a countryman started with some acres and a pair of pigs, he might in the course of ten years count their progeny by millions. This is not reckoning on any out-of-the-way basis, for it has been shown that one sow actually produced 355 pigs in twenty litters; while at an exhibition of the Agricultural Society a boar was shown which, although only twenty months old, was already the father of 1,465 hogs. Here then is wealth for the million.

The Profits of Preaching.

The great body of the clergymen of the United States receive salaries of $1,000 or less a year. There are many, of course, in the larger cities who are paid $2,000, $3,000, $4,000 and $5,000, and in Philadelphia there are several who are paid from $6,000 to $10,000, Dr. Harper, for instance. New York and Brooklyn are most generous with their preachers. Dr. John Hall is paid $20,000 by his church; he receives $5,000 more as Chancellor of the University of New York, and probably makes from $2,000 to $3,000 more a year from his writings. Dr. Talmage does quite as well; Dr. William M. Taylor's salary is $15,000, and Drs. C. H. Parkhurst and Morgan Dix from $2,500 to $5,000 more. Very wealthy congregations are by no means the most liberal with their pastors. There is Rev. J. T. Wills, of Aurora, N. Y., whose pews are filled with millionaires. They only pay him $1,500 a year, however.

Among the hereditary jewels belonging to the Duke of Cumberland are Queen Charlotte's pearls, valued at $750,000, about which, for twenty years, Queen Victoria and the Hanoverian king quarrelled with majesterial dignity. The Queen maintained that they belonged by right to England. The king insisted they should have been sent to Hanover in 1837, on the death of William IV. The other jewels belonging to the duke are valued at $2,000,000. His gold and silver plate weighs twelve tons.

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Mr. Moody, the revivalist, in his younger days did missionary work in Chicago, invading saloons and distributing tracts in divers places. One Sunday morning, while he was distributing temperance tracts he entered Buck & Raynor's drug store. At the back of the store sat an elderly and distinguished citizen reading a morning paper. Mr. Moody approached this gentleman, and threw one of the temperance tracts upon the paper before him. The old gentleman glanced at the tract and then, looking up benignly at Moody said:

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22nd April, 1889, at 2:30 P.M.

—BY—

Mrs. Nelson,

Wife of the Hon. Hugh Nelson, Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia.

Rear-Admiral Heneage has kindly given his consent for the BAND OF H. M. S. "SWIFTSURE," and Seamen to assist at the Ceremony.

500 CHILDREN

From the Public Schools will on the occasion sing.

Accommodation for viewing the proceedings will be specially provided, and subscribers to the fund desirous of being present will please apply to the undersigned BY LETTER OR POST CARD ONLY, not later than Friday next, the 19th instant, when Tickets and Programmes will be sent them.

By order of the Committee,
WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec'y.

Victoria, B. C., April 13, 1889. P. O. BOX P.

NOTICE.

Estate of John Cuthbert, deceased.

ALL CREDITORS TO THE ESTATE ARE requested to pay their accounts, and all creditors of the estate to present their claims, forthwith, to Mrs. Cuthbert, the executrix of the will of the deceased, or to

J. ROLAND HETT,
Barrister-at-Law.

Victoria, January 22nd 1889. ja22tf

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law the item, "City Carpenter $64.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council this 8th day of March, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1889.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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Victoria, 19th day of March, 1889.

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Victoria, B. C., January 26th 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in testifying to the virtues of your medicines. I was paralysed from the hips down could not stand, only limbs without support, was induced to try your medicines; in six weeks could walk and was perfectly strong again, after using the medicine two months, it is four months since I stopped the medicine and no sign of the trouble returning.

A. B. OLDERSHAW.

Victoria, B. C., 25th January 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

Dear Sir—I have very great pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicine. I was taken down with Rheumatic fever early in the spring which were seemed to entirely leave me, along in the summer my joints became so stiff and I was so crippled with Rheumatism that I could not walk without the help of a cane. I suffered very much pain whenever I attempted to move. I tried your medicine which cured me in a few weeks; I am now quite well and do not hesitate to recommend your medicine to the public, in my opinion there is nothing like them to cure Rheumatism.

WM. THURSDAL.

Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan M. D.

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicine, I was suffering severely from an attack of Quinsy, a friend of mine recommended your medicine, which I began using, and in a few hours the pain was gone. I can recommend Histogenetic medicines as a specific in that complaint.

JAMES KNOX, T.S. Islander.

Victoria, September 27th, 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream and ice for sale at Poodle Dog. *

—An Australian mail arrived by the Mexico.

—A number of fishermen will go up to Shawnigan Lake in the morning.

—Mr. A. G. McCandless is erecting a fine residence on Queen's avenue.

—Chicken or garden fencing, four feet, 18 cents per yard, at McLennan & McFeely's, 16 Fort St. *2w

—Senator Stanford gives it as his opinion that a railroad will be built to Alaska in a few years.

—Take advantage of the fine weather and have the baby's photo taken. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the best. *

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The Mexico arrived at 4 o'clock this morning from San Francisco with fifteen passengers and 110 tons of freight for this port.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—Pontificial high mass was celebrated in St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral this morning. The pupils of St. Ann's attended in a body.

—The collier Wellington arrived at Departure Bay on Wednesday morning. Her cargo consisted of hardware valued at $14,000.

—Members of the Young Men's Institute are rehearsing Byron's comedy, "Our Boys," for production during the latter part of May.

—The Empire brings to Nanaimo on the present trip a cargo valued at $4,600. The largest item of freight is 15,000 pounds of malt.

—The *Fashion Plate* says the "Robert Elsmere" collar is the latest thing out. As all the fast young men wear it this is no doubt true.

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City. *

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock. *

—A sealer took out a license to-day to wed a former member of the Salvation army, noted for her short blonde locks and plumpness of person.

—A summons has been issued at the instance of a well-known business man, charging an employee with using threatening language towards him.

—On account of this being Holy Week the manager of the panorama to-day decided to postpone the show which was to have taken place on Saturday.

—A magnificent line of Gendron's celebrated wire wheel baby buggies just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services. *

—William Field, charged with obstructing passengers by laying across the pathway, pleaded guilty to the charge in the police court this morning and was fined $5.

—Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced. *

—Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who then would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach? *

—Mr. G. C. Mesher has obtained the contract for the construction of a fine residence for Mrs. Crossett, fronting on Beacon Hill park, between Simcoe street and Dallas Road.

—The barks Darra from Moodyville and Cathona from this port, arrived at Sydney on March 7th and 11th respectively. The Southern Chief from Vancouver arrived at Melbourne March 19th.

—W. W. Shaw, representing the *West Shore*, is in the city preparing for a grand special number of that publication. Victoria and its surroundings will be extensively illustrated by pen and pencil.

—A coal and wood team ran away on Johnson street about nine o'clock this morning. At the corner of Johnson and Blanchard streets a fire hydrant was demolished, the axle of the wagon broken and one horse severely cut near the hoof.

—Mr. Max Adler, the solo violinist of the Mendelssohn Quintette club, which is to be at the theatre Wednesday evening, has just graduated, after four years of study, from the Royal School of Music in Berlin. He received high honors and warm testimonials from his masters, Prof. Wieth and Herr Joachim.

—The Wellington band, which was in this city on Tuesday, is a very good aggregation of players and creditable to the neighboring mining town. They played several lively pieces at Campbell's corner and when it was over the genial bulletin editor did not forget that blowing into those big instruments was very dry work.

—The luxuriant growth of wild broom has become a nuisance at New Westminster. From a few shoots brought from England some years ago, says the *Columbian*, this bush has spread itself all over the city and now it is with difficulty that some gardens are kept from being completely choked by it.

—This is unhappily an age of skepticism, but there is one point upon which all persons acquainted with the subject agree, namely, that *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* is a medicine which can be relied upon to cure a cough, remove pain, heal sores of various kinds, and benefit any inflamed portion of the body to which it is applied. *

—PALE, WORTHLESS INVALIDS suffering from poverty of the blood, bilious sufferers and those whose circulation is depraved, should use without delay Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, the celebrated blood purifier, which stimulates digestion, increases the nutritive properties of the blood, and expels impurities from the system. *

—In an article on "Railways in Western Canada, in the Winnipeg *Commercial*, the present railway mileage of British Columbia was shown to be about 615 miles, made up of the main line of the C. P. R. from the summit of the Rocky Mountains to Vancouver, 520 miles; Westminster branch C. P. R., 8 miles; Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway on Vancouver Island, 75 miles; Union mines railway, 11½ miles.

—Mrs. H. Hall, Navarino, N.Y., writes: "For years I have been troubled with Liver Complaint. The doctors said my liver was hardened and enlarged. I was troubled with dizziness, pain in my shoulder, constipation, and gradually losing flesh all the time. I was under the care of three physicians, but did not get any relief. A friend sent me a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and the benefit I have received from it is far beyond my expectation. I feel better now than I have done for years." *

—*Jas. Shannon*, Lessiddale, writes:—"For many years my wife was troubled with chilblains, and could get no relief until about two years ago; she was then not able to walk, and the pain was so excruciating that she could not sleep at night. Your agent was then on his regular trip, and she asked him if he could cure her. He told her *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* was a sure cure. She tried it, and judge of her astonishment when in a few days the pain was all allayed and the foot restored to its natural condition. It is also the best remedy for burns and bruises I ever used."

The Muriel Sold.

The steamer Muriel, it is reported, has been sold to Mr. Cunningham, and will in future be used as a supply boat for the canneries on the Skeena river. The Muriel is at present on the beach at Victoria receiving some overhauling preparatory to her trip to the north.

Good Friday.

To-morrow (Friday, the 19th instant) will be Good Friday and according to custom a general holiday. There will, therefore, be no issue of THE TIMES to-morrow evening.

Fifty Thousand Pounds.

The schooner C. H. White has returned to Seattle from a halibut cruise, bringing in 50,000 pounds for Louch and Johnson. The cruise was pretty rough, but no accident occurred, except the loss of an anchor. Captain Johnson was not chased by a whale this trip.

Blacklegs in Town.

A notorious rounder named Bob White, who was implicated in a disgraceful shooting affair at Seattle lately, is in this city at present. Supt. Sheppard, recognizing the utter worthlessness of this man and several others of the same stamp, is going to take them in hand at once.

Victoria Building Society.

A special general meeting of the Victoria Building Society was held last night at Harmony Hall, when Mr. E. G. Johnson was elected a director, vice Mr. W. D. McKillican resigned. The drawing for the fifth appropriation resulted in share No. 240, held by Mr. John Joseph Thomas, being awarded the $2000.

New Cannery.

Messrs. Drysdale & Co., who recently sold their dry goods store at New Westminster, have commenced the erection of a new cannery on Canoe Pass, which is to be known as the Canoe Pass Canning Company. The capacity of the new cannery will be 20,000 cases, which Mr. Drysdale hopes to be able to pack this season.

Seeking a Pardon.

Alvin Angerman, who was convicted in the police court last week for stealing some books from the London Hotel and sentenced to one month's imprisonment, has been allowed out on bail on an application before His Lordship, Chief Justice Begbie, pending an application for a free pardon. Mr. W. G. Taylor has the case in hand.

Not Correct.

The *Colonist* this morning states that twenty-four blue jackets are reported to have deserted from Her Majesty's vessels in Esquimalt during the last few days. The statement is without a grain of truth, and would lead an outsider to believe that the navy is a terrible institution to be connected with. The fact is a few sailors unwittingly broke their leave, which is quite different from deserting.

The Idaho's New Route.

The ocean steamer Idaho left Seattle on Tuesday for Portland, preparatory to going on her new route—the Seattle-Portland. The Idaho has formerly been in the employ of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, running on the Alaska route. Her former master, Capt. Hunter, has been transferred to the Geo. W. Elder, soon to take the Idaho's place between here and Alaska. The Idaho will have as her Master Capt. Augustien, and will run as a freight vessel exclusively, carrying no passengers. After a time it is altogether probable that a passenger steamer will be put on the route.

To Stretch the Cable.

Dr. T. T. Minor of Seattle, president of the Puget Sound Telegraph Company, has completed arrangements by which the barge Electron, now moored in front of the Custom House, belonging to the Canadian government, will stretch the new cable of the company from Alki Point across the Sound to Bean's Point, on Bainbridge island. The Electron was constructed for the particular purpose of laying cables, and is fitted with all necessary appliances. The barge was used in stretching the cable across the Juan de Fuca straits and Queen Charlotte sound. Mr. James Wilson, inspector of telegraph in this province will superintend the work.

Resolution of Sympathy.

The following is a copy of a resolution passed at a public meeting held at Kamloops on the 15th inst., and forwarded to the Hon. Attorney-General:

"That the chairman be requested to write to the Hon. Alexander Davie, as the Premier of the province, with a copy of the following resolution:

"That the citizens of Kamloops learn with extreme regret of the death of the Hon. R. Dunsmuir, President of the Council, who has for many years been foremost in all matters regarding either enterprise or generosity, and they wish thus publicly to express their appreciation of his noble qualities and their regret at his loss to the Government.

Naval.

It is rumored that H. M. S. Swiftsure will shortly leave Esquimalt harbor on a voyage to the north.

Should it be decided to send a war vessel to cruise in Behring sea to protect British interests, it is expected that the Amphion will go. The Amphion has a capacity for carrying 1,000 tons of coal, which would enable her to make a long voyage, which other vessels could not undertake. The absence of coaling stations is the greatest difficulty in a cruise of this kind.

The first general leave from H. M. S. Swiftsure will take place on Monday next, when 250 men will come on shore.

Admiral Hoskage is recovering from a rheumatic attack.

Tried to Smoke a Fuse.

Eddie Copeland, aged six years, had a strange experience yesterday morning about 9 o'clock, says the Vancouver *World*, and he will not smoke fuses any more. Taking up a piece which he thought had been thrown away he put one end in his mouth and lit the other, and played, sucking a cigar. When it began to splutter, however, Eddie took it in his hands, and it was a good thing he did, for it it had remained in his mouth a few minutes longer the little chap would have no head on now. As it was, however, the dynamite exploded, and the thumb and first two fingers of his right hand had to be amputated, and the third is slightly shattered. The little chap is now resting easily, and has good reason to thank his stars that the accident is not worse.

Williams' Directory.

Williams' British Columbia Directory for 1889 is issued. The compiler is Mr. Thos. Draper. The directory is a very complete work, containing a very large amount of information that will be of daily use to the public. A street directory, classified business directory, alphabetical list of names of all the cities, of the province, with a great deal of information respecting Dominion and provincial offices, societies, etc., give the work all the requirements of a provincial cyclopedia. It is certainly the most complete thing of the kind ever issued in British Columbia and is a credit to the publishers. It is the intention of Mr. Williams to issue in 1890 an Island directory of Victoria and Nanaimo and a mainland directory of Vancouver and New Westminster in two volumes, at a charge of $1.25.

French Creek.

Seed time is over, and the farmers are having a recreation.

Settlers continue to arrive and select for themselves a home in this thriving locality.

The rivers and creeks in the district abound with salmon and trout, but they are very difficult to capture owing to the extra flow of water.

Two persons who had occasion to pass French Creek at a late hour one night last week were somewhat surprised to meet a farmer of that place in his night garb parading the roads in his sleep. It was with the greatest difficulty that he was awakened and afterwards persuaded to retrace his steps from whence he came. He made some "grave" and very amusing inquiries in regard to his location, which were responded to with great amusement by the travelers.—*Courier*.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Louis Frechette, the French Canadian poet laureate and ex-M. P. for Levis, has been appointed clerk of the Legislative Council in place of George de Boucherville, superannuated.

Mr. C. G. Balleatyne and wife arrived by the Mexico this morning and are at the Driard.

G. W. Taylor, of Fort Wrangel, arrived from the south this morning looking as fresh as a rose.

Mrs. Wm. McKeon and Miss Maggie McKeon arrived home this morning from San Francisco.

W. P. Sayward was a passenger by the Mexico from the sunny south.

The latest news from the Hon. J. A. Chapleau, who left Queenstown by the steamer Etruria Monday, is that he is in excellent health and spirits. His doctor assured him that he is now thoroughly restored to health.

The Bishop of Ontario and Mrs. Lewis are now in London for a month, prior to their return to Ontario.

Sir David Macpherson is now at Florence. His health has improved, and he returns *via* Hamburg next month. He then visits England prior to his return home.

Vance H. Faben and wife, of Seattle, have been spending their honeymoon at the Clarence.

Adam Innes, who went to southern California last fall for the benefit of his health, returned home about two weeks ago. Mr. Innes was quite well leaving California, but took sick on the way up, and still continues very low.

F. Steinberger, representing Rand, McNally & Co, of Chicago, is in the city and stopping at the Driard.

NANAIMO NEWS.

The Telephone Extension—Mind the Paint, &c., &c.

(From the Courier.)

A telephone line will be erected between this city and East Wellington collieries.

Captain Revely of the steamer Isabel is nothing if not sarcastic. The Isabel had received a coat of paint and a passenger reclined gracefully on the newly painted railings, wearing a new pair of Sunday go to meetings. The captain eyed him quietly for a short space of time and then casually remarked "stranger that paint cost money."

Two of our well known citizens, on arriving at Victoria the other day, being desirous of "moistening their clay," adjourned to a saloon and called for the necessaries. While at the bar a man entered in a hurry, and seeing the brandy bottle on the counter, said he would take brandy. A glass was given him and he filled up, drank it and left. The barkeeper charged our townsmen for three drinks, and only then was it discovered that they had been the victims of an old ruse.

Good Friday.

The day will be observed as a general holiday. Several picnic parties have made arrangements to go out into the country, and a baseball match will take place at Beacon Hill. Several will no doubt go out to brace themselves for the egg-eating tournaments on Easter Sunday.

Marriage Bells.

The marriage of Alex. Heaney and Miss Jessie McKay was celebrated on Friday evening last at the residence of Mrs. McGregor, aunt of the bride, corner of Douglas and Cormorant streets. Rev. Mr. Fraser officiated and about thirty of the immediate friends of the principals were witnesses of the ever pleasing and interesting ceremony. The bride looked lovely, and her popularity was attested by the numerous and elegant presents of which she was the recipient. THE TIMES extends its congratulations.

A Ghastly Gift.

The head of the Abyssinian general is a significant gift from the Khalifa of Khartoum to the British Governor of Suakim. The British engaged the Abyssinians as allies to march against Kassala at the same time that British troops were marching against Khartoum. Ever since then war between the Arabs and the Abyssinians has been carried on with great energy. The British Government should never have aroused the Abyssinians as they did, knowing that war between these old enemies would be exceedingly cruel and would be long maintained.

Alaska News.

Dr. Rush, surgeon of the United States gunboat Pinta, which has been stationed on the Alaska coast for the past five years, stated to a Nanaimo *Courier* representative yesterday that it was his opinion that the United States government would strictly enforce President Harrison's proclamation closing the Behring Sea. In relation to the charges preferred by Gov. Swineford against the Alaska Commercial Company, he says that it is his belief that the accusations are mainly true. Gov. Swineford made a thorough tour of the country, observed for himself, took copious notes of the actual condition of affairs and reported accordingly.

Chinese Attending Our Schools.

A reporter of THE TIMES was informed to-day that two Chinese had been attending the boys' department of the public school for a number of days past. Inquiry was made of two of the city trustees, who were found at their places of business as to what they knew about the matter, the inquirer being informed that they had heard nothing of it. A special meeting was held this week, but the matter was not reported to them. Even if it had been they did not see what action could be taken. The Chinese paid the school tax, and if they wished to take advantage of our educational system they did not see what was to prevent them, provided they conformed to the rules like other scholars. The two attending the public school are understood to be in the sixth division. They are said to be 13 or 14 years of age and not to understand a word of English.

Dress Reform.

The newspapers of Portland are devoting a very considerable portion of their space to Mrs. Annie Jenness-Miller and her ideas on comfort and health in dress. When she appeared at the New Park theatre, Monday evening, she confronted an audience of 1000 ladies and a number of gentlemen. Mrs. Miller's method of addressing her audience is novel and interesting. She shows in just what manner the prevailing fashions of dress are unhandy and unhealthy, and illustrates her points by the display of what she considers the garment most suitable to be worn. She exhibits dress for wear and dress for show, and the "divided skirt" is also shown and its advantages illustrated. Mrs. Miller is described as a fluent speaker of the conversational style, with a sympathetic, womanly voice. Her sentences are well rounded, and throughout her lecture she shows much quiet humor and a talent for mimicry. She uses plain language and calls everything by its proper name. She is described as a very good-looking woman, eminently capable of illustrating by example the advantages of the dresses she advocates.

Any citizen possessing letters written by Pigott may find a market in London, writes a cable correspondent. The prices range from $5 to $25, according to the date. It is estimated that Solicitor Soames, of the *Times*, has at least a couple of thousand dollars' worth of them, but he is not likely to spoil trade by flooding the market.

NO NEWS.

New York, April 18.—No news has been received by incoming vessels to-day of the steamer Denmark's passengers.

Queenstown, April 18.—The steamship Queen arrived here. She saw nothing of the Denmark or passengers.

Sealer Arrives.

The schooner Theresa arrived last night from a cruise south and along the west coast, with 850 sealskins. Heavy weather was met with and the rudder slightly damaged. The vessel will be put on the ways for repair before going north.

Organ Recital.

The organ in the Pandora street Methodist church has been thoroughly overhauled by a competent mechanic from San Francisco, and a recital is announced for to-morrow, under the direction of Prof. Sharp. The organ is again as good as new, and its improved tone and volumn will delight the ears of all lovers of church music.

Marine Notes.

British ship Duke of Abercorn from Moodyville arrived at Callao on the 22nd of March.

British bark Royal Ter sailed from Honolulu on April 7th for Burrard Inlet.

Bark Darra, from Port Moody, arrived at Sydney on March 7th.

Barkentine Cuthona, from Victoria, arrived at Sydney on 14th March.

Bark Southern Chief, from Vancouver, arrived at Melbourne on 19th March.

Fears are entertained at Sydney, N. S. W., for the safety of the bark Shalimar, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Portland, Oregon.

Bark Detroit, from Port Gamble, arrived at Sydney on April 12. She was leaking, lost several sails and shifted deckload.

Alberni News.

Farming operations are in a forward state and seeding is about done. There has been a largely increased quantity of potatoes planted this spring, and vegetation generally is in an advanced state, more so, in fact, than elsewhere on the island.

The settlement is generally prosperous. A great impetus would be given to the general prosperity of the district were regular connection established with these places by steamer. As it now is, there is no incentive for farmers to go into raising extra crops, as a market cannot be had. The settlement has only been visited by a steamer once in the past four months. But notwithstanding all drawbacks, steady progress is being made in clearing and burning land, and although the immigration is not great, still there is a healthy and steady home product; births being numerous, which in a measure, makes up for what is lacking in outside immigration.

Fishing operations are being pushed forward steadily, and a good catch is anticipated.

Labouchere on Stanley.

It is impossible, says Labouchere, not to admire Stanley's pluck and endurance, but I venture to question the use of marches like his into the interior of Africa. The plea was that Emin wished to be relieved. He did not want to be. He is only desirous to be left alone. What benefit then is it to the cause of civilization that a white man should hire a vast number of carriers and undertake an expedition in which half of them die of fatigue, and some are hanged for wishing to desert, in order to force his way through tribes by burning their villages and shooting them? The net result seems to be that one lake is not so deep as it was a hundred years ago, that another lake lies to the south of the first, that there is a very dense forest, mainly inhabited by dwarfs, on the road to these lakes, and that somewhere in the vicinity of this forest there is high mountain, hitherto unknown, the top of which is covered with snow. All this is no doubt interesting. But is it worth impressing carriers who die of fatigue or are hanged, and is it worth shooting dwarfs and destroying villages? I should like to hear the carrier or the dwarf on the question.

About the Sewers.

During the commencement of our system of sewerage a good deal was written explanatory of the system adopted, which is called the Separate system. One of the things in connection with this system that was claimed to be a great point in favor of it was the automatic flush tanks placed at intervals through the town. Now newspaper men as a rule think themselves pretty well posted on most topics and the writer was under the impression that he knew what a "flush tank" was. But he didn't know the first thing about it until yesterday when through the courtesy of Town Engineer Chipman he had the privilege of seeing one in operation. He had an idea that by some arrangement of the sewer pipes a small stream of sewer water dropped into a large iron tank which periodically tipped over, when the contents were emptied in a large volume into the sewer pipe, flushing it out. The one visited yesterday is at the upper end of the Market sewer. Directly over the extreme end of the sewer beyond a point where any sewage enters it from the houses is built a large watertight vault similar to the manholes in other parts of the sewers. Into this the end of the sewer pipe enters. On the end of the sewer pipe is fitted a large iron box. Inside this box is fitted an iron tray directly under an opening in the box through which comes one end of a large iron syphon, the other end of which is above the iron near the bottom of the cement tank or man hole. A pipe from the water mains fitted with an ordinary tap allows a stream of water *from the water works*, not from the sewers, to run into the tank or manhole gradually filling it and the syphon. When the water gets high enough in the large tank to cover the bend in the syphon it runs over into the tray inside the iron box at the bottom of the syphon until the tray is filled. When this occurs the tray tips over, the syphon is started working and the water in the large tank is emptied into the sewer with such force that the whole two hundred gallons of clean water which the tank holds is emptied into the sewer in less than thirty seconds, washing the sewer out pretty thoroughly. The water tap is regulated so that each flush tank fills and empties about twice in twenty-four hours. Thus twice a day all the sewers at their beginning, where there is not much sewage and where they would be most likely to become foul, are thoroughly washed out. At all the house connections a ventilating pipe connects with the sewer and runs through the roof without any trap, allowing perfect ventilation.—*Brockville Recorder.*

SPORTING NOTES.

The money has been deposited with the London *Sportsman* for a match between O'Connor and Searle to take place in England next September.

BASEBALL.

To-morrow's game between the Maple Leaf and James Bay clubs will be the first match league game of the season. A good deal of friendly rivalry exists as to the outcome, which should be close. Game called at 2:30.

Mark Twain says: Baseball is the very symbol, the outward and visible expression of the drive and push and rush and struggle of the raging, tearing, booming nineteenth century! One cannot realize it, the place and the feet are so incongruous; it's like interrupting a funeral with a circus.

Ye Sportsmen.

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Canadians who are inclined to rove, should be on their guard against too glowing descriptions of the Argentine Republic. A despatch from Paris states that a dozen families of coal miners who had emigrated from Decazeville in Aveyron have been sent back to France by the Consul at Buenos Ayres. They state that there are ten thousand Frenchmen, mostly from the Aveyron and the neighboring departments, in the Argentine Republic, who cannot find work and are starving.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—E J Welch, E A Wilmot, A Stewart, R P Wallace, D Matheson, J Sechtel, Jos Crawley, C M Hawley, 2 Chinese, H Collister, G Gray, Robt Fraser, Mrs M Howison, T Rowsbottom, A Cheney, Thos Quinn, W M Wood, B Borland, D E Brown, C A Lundberg, A A Green, W E Davis, Miss Stokes, R McGregor, W Rewebottom, G Chapman, Miss Hutchison, F Grundy, E Bell, G F Burnette, A W Williams, H Rollins, G Storer, G Jay.

Per Str. North Pacific from Puget Sound—J Baker, Geo S Batty, Miss Burks, Miss DeVries, C E Jones, M Powell, F H Anson, J W Hoyt, J H Nearing, J H Brown and wife, F Simmersman, J A Hill, Mrs Parker, Mrs Anson, J P Dunworth, S McGinnis, Miss McCann, A F Cook, W R Gallagher, S Jones, D B Forrest, L Kucera, H Crosdale, J Newton, E Bean, D B Bugham, J Evans, J T Ford, W H Bray, Mrs W H Taylor, J C Holliday, E Carter, Bryant, A M Henning, S Young, J Ryan, T Rambrick, Capt Eddycamp, E Holden, J M McLeod, W Bradford, W M Wallis, C M Pearson, W Eden, W Williams, A Lawdor, M Levy, I Lipsett, F Chambers, E M Giffons, L E Lewis, C H Reed and wife, M A Decker, wife and daughter.

Consignees.

Per steamer Mexico from San Francisco—A Lawrence, A Schnider, Albion Iron Works, A J Rowbotham, Angus & Gordon, A Lewis & Co, Brown Bros, Brachman & Kerr, B Levy, C H Rogers, Calbert & Warner, Carne & Munsie, Cherry & Dresch, C Robson, Courier Pub Co, Decker & Smith, D H Ross, E G Prior & Co, E H Marvin & Co, Fell & Co, F Norris, G W Bigger, H A Lilley, H Saunders, Hudson Bay Co, H Jewell, Hall, Goodall & Co, J H Todd & Son, J & A McMillan, Langley & Co, L G Wing & Bros, Marvin & Tilton, M & T Weil & Co, S Foreman, Nicholles & Renouf, On Hing, P McDonald, Quong Wo, R Baker & Sons, R Cruickshank, R Jamieson, S J Pitts, Steamer & Earle, S Leiser, T J Moody, T Earle & Co, Voir & Brooks, Wm Grimm, Wardroom Officers Sheffmere, Welch Bithet & Co, Wells Fargo & Co, Yuen Lung, Young Chong.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—Hudson Bay Co, McLeary, S L, W W Wilson & Co, Muirhead & Mann, J Weller, L T Kelly, Gilmore & McC, Lenz & Leiser, Capt Irving, D Spencer, Ames Holden, Lenz & L, Macheal, M W T Drake, R Ward & Co, Welch Bithet & Co, C Strouss & Co, J Fullerton, M H & Tye, Mrs G L Lloyd, Mr Turkell, Dom Exp Co.

Per str. North Pacific from Puget Sound—S J Pitts, J Weiler, Sidney Tuttle & Co, H Wolf, Marvin & Tilton, Lenz & Leiser, H Saunders, C F Newcomb, E H Marvin, K O P Society, Courier Pub Co, J Sears, C T Crickmen, C A Wardell, Langley & Co, A P Erskine, J K Gill & Co, Thos Dunn & Co, A Godfrey & Co, J T Baker & Co, F T Johnson & Co, R Willie, A Macy & Co, A J Rewbotham, C McDonough, Sam Clay, Calbert & W, R Dickinson, S L Kelly, E B Marvin, J Ryan.

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IN ADDITION TO THE USUAL GOOD Friday services in the Pandora street Methodist Church to-morrow evening there will be a choice musical programme and organ recital under the direction of the organist, Professor Sharpe. The fine organ has just been overhauled and put in thorough order by Mr. Caswell, who stands at the very head of his profession in San Francisco as an organ builder and tuner.

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A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE above society will be held at Harmony Hall View street, on Wednesday evening the 17th of April, 1889, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing a Director to fill the place of W. D. McKillican, resigned, after which

The 5th drawing for an appropriation will take place (see your shares are in good standing). The balance of shares series C and D can be taken up by applying to the undersigned at his office, 30 Fort street, or at the subscription meeting every Monday evening from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m., at Harmony Hall.

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Conveyance to be made on horseback or in a vehicle at the option of the contractor.

Copies of both the above notices may be seen and blank forms of tenders may be obtained at the Post Office at Alkali Lake, Big Bar Creek, Dog Creek, Clinton, at the office of the Indian Agent, Lesser Dog Creek and at the office of the undersigned.

E. H. FLETCHER, P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's office, Victoria, B. C., 10th April, 1889. ap17-2t

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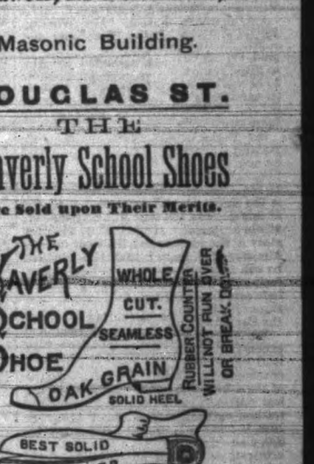

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